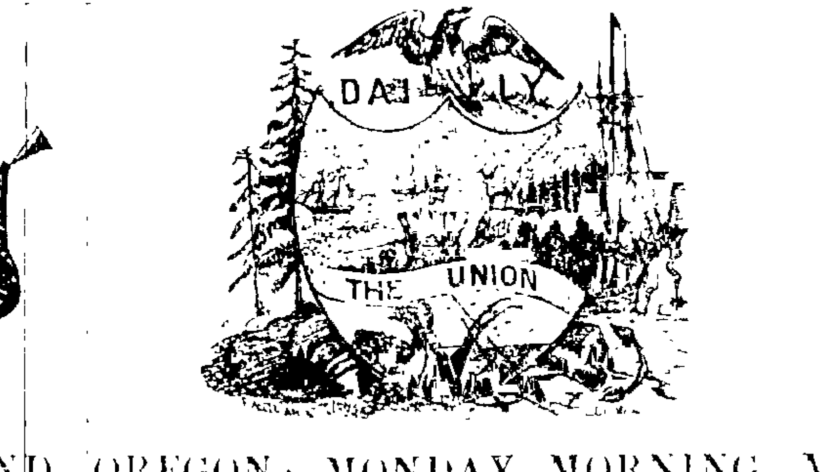
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ASSIGNMENT FOR BENEFIT OF CREDITORS ...

U. S. District Court—District of Oregon, February 28, 1869.

In the matter of the partnership of Randall and Sunderland, alleged to be bankrupt.

On January ..., 1869, a petition was filed in this court by Linsheim Bros. and Co., of San Francisco, against the firm of Randall and Sunderland of this city, praying that said firm might be adjudged bankrupt, for the causes therein specified.

An order to show cause was issued and made returnable February 10, at the same time an injunction was allowed against R. and S. and their assignee, John R. Foster, restraining them from interfering with or disposing of the goods etc of the firm.

On the return day of the order to show cause R. and S. appeared by counsel and filed an answer to the petition. At the same time by consent of counsel the case was set down for hearing by the court, at a future day. On Feb. 20, the court heard the testimony in the case and the argument of counsel and took the matter under consideration.

The petition alleges the commission of three distinct acts of bankruptcy by R. and S.

I. That R. and S. within six calendar months next preceding the date of the petition—in January 1869, did make an assignment, sale and transfer of all their stock in trade, store fixtures and accounts, the same being all the property of R. and S.,—to one John Foster, with intent to delay or hinder or defraud the creditors of them, the said R. and S.

II. That R. and S. within the period aforesaid, in contemplation of insolvency, did voluntarily assign, transfer and convey all of their property consisting as aforesaid, to one John R. Foster, the said Foster having reasonable cause then and there to believe that R. and S. were acting in contemplation of insolvency, and that said assignment etc. was made with intent to prevent their property from coming to their assignee in bankruptcy, and to prevent the same from being distributed under the bankrupt act, and to defeat the object and evade the provisions thereof.

III. That R. and S. within the period aforesaid, being merchants and traders at Portland in Walamet in the District aforesaid, fraudulently stopped payment of their commercial paper within the period of fourteen days.

The answer of R. and S. ... admits the existence of the debt of the petitioning creditors—$6,183 56—and that it is provable in bankruptcy; and that they assigned all their property to Foster, but denies that such assignment was made in contemplation of insolvency or with the fraudulent or illegal intents alleged in the petition or either of them. The answer also denies that R. and S. stopped payment of their commercial paper, or that they were insolvent or contemplated insolvency.

On the trial Sunderland and Foster were examined as witnesses, but Randall not. No evidence was offered touching the third alleged act of bankruptcy.

Sec. 41 of the act, which provides for "a trial," "to ascertain the fact of such alleged bankruptcy," declares, that if upon such trial "the debtor proves to the satisfaction of the court * * * that the facts set forth in the petition are not true * * * the proceedings shall be dismissed and the respondent shall recover costs."

The effect of this provision is to throw the burden of proof upon the respondents, and a denial of the facts in the petition by the *answer* of the respondents, does not shift this burden upon the *petitioners*. *No other or less effect can be given* to the language of Sec 41, requiring the debtor to prove that the facts set forth in the petition are not true. But it seems to me, on the other hand, that justice to the debtor, requires that the facts to be disproved by him, should be stated with such certainty and detail as to inform him of what he is to make an explanation or proof. A general statement in a petition that a debtor in January 1869 stopped payment of his commercial paper for the period of fourteen days, is not, in my judgment, such an allegation of fact, as will warrant an adjudication of bankruptcy against the debtor, unless he disproves or explains it. In answer to this it may be said that the allegation concerning the commercial paper is in the language of Form 54. But it should be remembered that the various statements of acts of bankruptcy, given in Form 54, are mere outlines or skeleton statements, to be filled in with the particular circumstances of the case in question, and such is the direction given in the *nota bene* near the end of the Form.

This allegation should state as nearly as possible the date of the promissory note or bill of exchange of which payment had been stopped—to whom made and for what amount and when payable, and whether the debtor was liable thereon as maker or indorser and by whom the same was held when payment was neglected or refused.

Again, it may be said that if the allegation was not sufficiently distinct the respondents should have declined to answer it, on that ground, and asked that it be made more definite and certain or stricken out. This, I suppose, would be the better practice, particularly when there is an attempt to state a particular stoppage or suspension of payment and the same is stated defectively or insufficiently. But when the allegation is a general one—that the debtor stopped payment of his commercial paper—without containing any particular fact or facts pointing to any particular paper, in my opinion, as to this, there are no "facts set forth in the petition," which the debtor is required to prove not true to prevent being adjudged a bankrupt thereon.

Before proceeding to consider the second act of bankruptcy set forth in the petition it will be necessary to state the evidence or the facts established by it, which is as follows:

I. That from August, 1865, to January, 1869, R. and S. were engaged as partners in the retail boot and shoe business, on the corner of First and Alder streets, as the successors of Hibbard and Sunderland. That on the morning of January 9 ... Randall was found guilty by a jury in the U. S. Court for the District, of a crime, punishable at least by ten years' imprisonment at hard labor, and that thereafter on the same day R. and S. by their writing under seal assigned, sold and transferred their entire property consisting of stock in trade, store fixtures, and accounts, to John R. Foster, "for the benefit of all the creditors of said firm without distinction" and after the payment of said firm creditors, to be applied to the payment "of the individual debts of R. and S. according to their respective interests, that is to say, after the payment of the firm debts, the balance of the said property or the proceeds thereof, belongs to the said copartners in equal shares and shall be so applied." The writing then authorizes and directs the assignee ... to sell and dispose of said goods according to the best of his discretion and judgment for the purposes aforesaid.

II. That the assignee executed the writing and accepted the trust, and took possession of the store and goods and carried on the business in the usual way. Sunderland remaining ... until the injunction was served ... The assignment did not state the names of any of the creditors of the firm, or the amount ... or in the aggregate of their ... state the names of ...

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... the assignment the indebtedness of the firm amounted to $15,000. The stock of goods ... and at date of assignment was a reasonable ...

... of them had been returned ... some sizes ... were ... bought in August ... Mr. Foster testified that ... were ... the market ... and that ... by keeping up the ... were worth what they were inventoried at and that they were sufficient to pay ... price ... that he did not know what the store fixtures were worth, and that as a general thing the accounts were good and worth 75 cents on the dollar. Homer Sanborn, a merchant, testified that he assisted to inventory the goods and that it is owing to circumstances whether they are worth the inventory price or not. Thought they were worth that to R. & S. Under the circumstances he would have been willing to take the goods and *business* and paid the debts of the firm. That he and John R. Foster were indorsers for R. and S. for $1,000.

Upon this state of facts the first question that arises in the consideration of the second alleged act of bankruptcy, is the solvency of the firm of R. and S. at the time of this assignment. A solvent man is one that is able to pay all his debts in full at once or as they become due. *Insolvency* is merely the opposite of *solvency*. A man who is unable to pay his debts out of his own means, or whose debts cannot be collected out of such means by legal process, is insolvent—and this is so, although it may be morally certain that with indulgence from his creditors, in point of time he may be ultimately able to satisfy his engagements in full. The term insolvency imports a *present* inability to pay. The probable or improbable future condition of the party in this respect does not affect the question. If a man's debts cannot be made in full out of his property by levy and sale on execution he is insolvent within the primary and ordinary meaning of the word and particularly in the sense in which the word is used in the bankrupt act. (*Burrill on assignments*, 38, 41; 4 *Hill*, 652; 15 *How* 167; 1 *Law Times B. R.*, 7; ... *Law Times B. R.*, 2.)

Tried by this rule I have no doubt but R. and S. were insolvent at the date of this assignment. The ... value of their assests as set forth in the inventory, including goods, fixtures, accounts and insurance, is $17,127 01, and their debts, as testified by Mr. Foster, amount to $15,000. It is not probable that 75 cents on the dollar could be realized from this property upon legal process, and even this result would scarcely produce enough to pay the debts, not counting the expenses of sale etc. It is more likely it would not fetch over 50 cents on the dollar. The goods had been culled *over at retail*. The *fixtures are not itemized* in the inventory, and they probably have little if any value out of the store room and business in which they are used. The accounts, even if all of them were against solvent people, would scarcely pay 25 cents on the dollar after deducting the expenses of collection by legal process, and it is safe to conclude that they would not sell in open market for 50 cents on the dollar.

The parties being insolvent at the making of this assignment, did they make it with the intention to defeat or delay the operation of the bankrupt act? Every person is presumed to intend the natural and probable consequences of his own acts. This assignment attempts to vest the whole of the property of R. and S. in a trustee selected by them, for the purpose of equal distribution among all their creditors. If allowed to stand, one of the necessary consequences will be that the property of these insolvents will be prevented from coming to the assignee in bankruptcy and from being distributed among the creditors under the bankrupt act, and so the operation of the act will be defeated. This natural and not only probable, but *necessary* consequence of this assignment, the assignors must be presumed to have intended, unless they show to the contrary. As to this, the burden of proof is upon them.

The necessity of the provision in the act which makes void an assignment by an insolvent with intent to delay or defeat the act (*Sec. 35*) and also the provision which declares such an assignment an act of bankruptcy (*Sec. 39*), is apparent. Without them, the law could and would be successfully evaded to the injury of creditors. In addition, the justice and propriety of the act in this respect cannot be questioned. In good morals the property of an insolvent debtor belongs to his creditors. They being the primary and real parties in interest, are entitled to give direction in the settlement and distribution of the insolvents' estate, and to select the person to control and dispose of it for the common benefit.

To secure this result is the purpose of the bankrupt act. The necessary consequence of this assignment, if allowed to stand, is to defeat this purpose, in this case, and therefore the law declares the making of it, an act of bankruptcy. It would seem that in effect the act forbids any assignment by an insolvent or person in contemplation of insolvency for any purpose. True, an assignment made with the consent and accepted by all the creditors of the assignor might be upheld, not because such assignments are expressly permitted by the law but because the creditors would be bound by their acceptance and estopped from impugning the legality of an act, which had been done with their consent and approval.

My conclusion is, then, that the facts set forth in the petition as to the second act of bankruptcy are true. That the respondents being insolvent, made this assignment with intent to defeat the operation of the bankrupt act, by preventing their property from coming to their assignee in bankruptcy and to prevent the same from being distributed under the bankrupt act. This is a necessary consequence of the assignment if allowed to stand ...

As ... the argument ... being ... necessary ... the first charge ... petition that R. and S. made this assignment with intent to delay or hinder or defraud creditors.

If however the respondents were solvent at the date of this assignment, as claimed by them, then in contemplation of law the assignment would have been made to delay, hinder and defraud creditors, because, if allowed to stand, such would have been its operation and effect. An assignment by a solvent person for the benefit of creditors, with or without preferences, is void under the statute of frauds, because the necessary consequence of it, is, to delay and defraud creditors, by preventing them from subjecting the debtor's property by the ordinary legal proceedings ...

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... There were but few ...

... DEADY, J.

... for Petitioners.
... for Respondents.

Wonders of Modern Surgery

... a summary of an ... on the recent ... surgery ... a sufficient degree ... can be produced in any part desired, so that a man with a most ... on the arm or ... can now look down, in his perfect senses upon the knife as it enters his own body, and performs the most difficult operations without giving him the least pain. A French surgeon has invented an instrument he calls the "ecrasseur," or crusher, to perform operations dangerous in surgery, on account of the loss of blood from the small vessels, if performed with a knife. It is formed of a fine chain gathered into a loop, which encloses the part to be removed, and by turning the screw the chain is tightened until the parts are separated. The blunt chain turns up and twists the ends of the blood vessels so that hemorrhage is prevented.

The eye is now examined by an instrument called the opthalmoscope by which the depths of the globe of the eye can be readily and fully explored, and through its aid a great deal of what has been written and conjectured about diseases of the eye has been found to be wrong. The intricate passages of the ear, the nose, the whole of the windpipe and passages of the lungs are now carefully explored.

Perhaps one of the best results of modern science has been through what is called "conservative" surgery, the rule of which is to save all that possibly can be saved from the amputation knife. Many of our brave soldiers complained of the reckless haste with which in the late war some surgeons would cut off arms and legs on account of trifling wounds. This complaint was often just. But one of the most distinguished surgeons in the world has lately written, "At King's College it is rare to see an amputation, in nine cases out of ten, excision or the cutting out of the diseased portion of the limb should be performed in its stead."

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LEE'S OPINION OF GRANT.—General Lee when some one spoke disparagingly of Gen. Grant's abilities in his presence, shrugged his shoulders and said, "At all events, he seems to accomplish whatever he undertakes."

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The (London) *Spectator* publishes a list of Members of Parliament who constitute the aristocratic element in the new House of Commons. According to this authority, there are in the House one hundred and twenty members of noble families, and eighty-seven who are closely connected with the nobility on the mother's side, or by marriage. This generous number, out of six hundred and fifty-eight, shows a very fair representation of the aristocracy, whose interests, it would seem, are in no danger of suffering at the hands of the "reformed Parliament."

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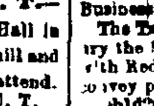
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Your obedient servant
H. F. WILLIAMS,
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Henry F. Williams, Esq., President of the S. F. P. Co.—Dear Sir: Your communication of yesterday, requesting me to give in writing my opinion relative to the several kinds of street pavement now in use in this city, is before me, and in reply I would say, that at the time I became a municipal officer of this city, in 1860, and for many years thereafter cobble-stone was the only kind of pavement used by the city in its corporate, and by individuals in their individual capacity. About five years ago the Nicolson pavement was introduced here by Mr. J. J. Robbins, assignee of the owner of the patent, and was received with much favor by our citizens. Very many portions of our streets are now paved with the Nicolson Pavement, so-called—still later—that is to say, about two years ago, the "Stow Foundation Pavement" was introduced here by the inventor, and many of our public streets have since been paved with that pavement.

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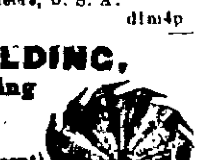
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FRANK McCOPPIN,
Mayor of the City of San Francisco

We, the undersigned, have carefully read the above letter from his Honor, Frank McCoppin, to H. F. Williams, Esq., upon the subject of street paving, and we fully indorse every word it contains.

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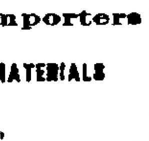
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—This is to give notice that on the 18th day of January, 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John A. Carr of Portland, Multnomah Co. State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the [illegible] day of March A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy. j19d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the State of Oregon against the estate of William H. Spencer, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March A. D., 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger
By W. H. West, Deputy ja25d30d

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States against the estate of O. Smiley, of Willamette Precinct, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition: That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
feb3d30d U. S. Marshal for said District

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of *James Bothwell, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah,* in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition: That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to *choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held* at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register, in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 13th day of March, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
feb 6d30d U. S. Marshal for said District.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Isaiah Geer, of La Grand, in the county of Union and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER.
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Robert W. Cochran, of LaGrand, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock A M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy. J25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, A. D 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon; against the estate of James Cunningham, of the Dalles, Wasco county, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, *to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey*, Portland, in said District, before W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy. j25d30t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—*This is to give notice* that on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Williams, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy. j19d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of Tobias Thomas of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. West, Deputy ja26d30d

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of H. S. Aiken, of Astoria, county of Clatsop, and State of Oregon, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
Per W. H. West, Deputy. j14d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of December, A. D. 1868, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James B. Harlow, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day February, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock A. M.
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15142 From Fairfield, (n o) by Saint Louis Waconda, Parkersville, Monitor, and Needy, to Oregon City, 20 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Fairfield Tuesday at 7 a m,
Arrive at Oregon City by 6 p m.
Leave Oregon City Wednesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Fairfield by 6 p m

15143 From Astoria, by Clatsop, Summer House, (n o) Elk Creek, (n o) Nehalem, (n o) Miami Point, (n o) Clubbes Point, (n o) and Netarch Landing, (n o) to Tillamook, 60 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Astoria Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Tillamook next day by 6 p m;
Leave Tillamook Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Astoria next day by 6 p m.

15144 From Dallas, by Salt Creek and Hall's, (n o) to Grand Ronde, 20 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Dallas Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Grand Ronde by 12 m;
Leave Grand Ronde Tuesday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Dallas by 8 p m.

15145 From Portland, by Taylor's Ferry, (n o) Dayton, Amity, Rickreal, and Monmouth, to Corvallis, 80 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Corvallis next day by 7 p m;
Leave Corvallis Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Portland next day by 7 p m.

15146 From Centreville to Forest Grove, 5 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Centreville Monday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Forest Grove Monday by 12 m;
Leave Forest Grove Monday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Centreville by 3 p m.

15147 From Portland, by Hillsborough, Forest Grove, and West Chehalem, to Lafayette, 47 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Portland Monday and Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Lafayette next days by 1 p m;
Leave Lafayette Tuesday and Friday at 2 p m,
Arrive at Portland next days by 8 p m.

15148 From Salem, by Lincoln, to Wheatland, 27 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Salem [W]ednesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Wheatland by 5 p m;
Leave Wheatland Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Salem by 5 p m.

15149 From Auburn, by Pocahontas, (n o) Riggsville, (n o) Birch Creek (n o) and Dealy's Station (n o) to Umatilla, with a branch to Granite Creek Mines, (n o) — miles and back, once a week.
Bidders to state distance, and propose a schedule of departures and arrivals.

15150 From The Dalles, by Simcoe, (n o) to Thorpe's, (n o) 90 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Thorpe's Wednesday by 7 p m;
Leave Thorpe's Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 7 p m.
Winter schedule six days.

15151 From Umatilla, by the county seat of Yakima County and the Snoqualmie Pass, to Seattle, Washington Territory, 225 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Umatilla Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Seattle Sunday by 6 p m;
Leave Seattle Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Umatilla Sunday by 6 p m.

15152 From Express Ranch, by Rye Valley, (n o) to Humboldt Basin, (n o) 18 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Express Ranch Wednesday at 12 m;
Arrive at Humboldt Basin by 7 p m,
Leave Humboldt Basin Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Express Ranch by 2 p m.

15153 From The Dalles, by Rockland, (n o) Washington Territory, Block House, (n o) and Simcoe (n o) to Yakima, (n o) 90 miles and back, once a week
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Yakima Wednesday by 12 m;
Leave Yakima Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 12 m.

15154 From Albany, by Boston Mills, (n o) to Brownsville, 23 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Albany Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Brownsville by 6 p m;
Leave Brownsville Tuesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Albany by 6 p m.

15155 From Portland, by Bridgeport, (n o) and Chehalem Gap, (n o) to Dayton, 30 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Wednesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Dayton by 6 p m;
Leave Dayton Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Portland by 6 p m.

15156 From Corvallis, by King's Valley, Philomath, Somer's, (n o,) Summit, Haptonstall's, (n o,) Pioneer City, Little Elk, Yaquina, Oysterville, (n o,) Newton, and Toledo, to Newport, seventy miles and back, three times a week from May to November, and once a week the residue of year.
(*Schedule May to November.*)
Leave Corvallis Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Newport next day by 6 p m;
Leave Newport Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 6 a m or at 6 p m;
Arrive at Corvallis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday by 8 p m.
(*November to May.*)
Leave Corvallis Monday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Newport Wednesday by 6 p m;
Leave Newport two hours after arrival;
Arrive at Corvallis Friday by 8 p m.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON for the county of Multnomah—Henry L. Pittock, Plaintiff, vs. James P. O. Lownsdale, Administrator, James P. O. Lownsdale, Guardian of Millard O. Lownsdale, Millard O. Lownsdale, Ruth A. Lownsdale, John A. Blanchard her Guardian, Ida Squires, Wm. E. Cooper her Guardian, Emma S. Lamb and John R. Lamb her husband, Mary E. Cooper and Wm. E. Cooper her husband, James P. O. Lownsdale and Hannah and Hiram Smith, Defendants.—Summons in equity to quiet title to Block 216, City of Portland, Oregon.—To Ida Squires, one of the Defendants above named: Whereas the plaintiff above named has filed in the Court above named a complaint, of which you are hereby notified, and claims title to that parcel of land known as Block No. 216 in the City of Portland, Oregon, to which, it is said, you and other defendants set up some claim adverse to plaintiff, and prays that said adverse claim be determined, and that you be excluded from any lien, interest or estate in said land; and whereas a summons was duly issued and you were required to answer said complaint in ten days if served in said county or within twenty days if served out of said county; and you were not served within said State, but it was shown that you were a non-resident of the State of Oregon, and an order of publication was made by said Court, to the end that you might be notified of the pendency of this suit. Now, therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon, you, the said Ida Squires, are hereby notified of the pendency of the above entitled suit and are required to appear in the Court above entitled at the City of Portland, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the second (2d) Monday of June, 1869, and answer said complaint, or in default thereof, the said complaint will be taken as confessed and the plaintiff will take judgment against you, and a decree according to the prayer of said complaint as above set out, as well as for general relief.

LOGAN, SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
Portland, Ogn., Feb. 22, 1869. Plaintiff's Att'ys
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Robert Earl, voluntary bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Robert Earl, of the county of Linn State of Oregon, in said District, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 20th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. is assigned for the hearing of the same before said Court, when and where creditors of said bankrupt may show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and that the second and third meetings of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held March 20, 1869 at 10 o'clock A. M., before W. Lair Hill Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, at his office in the city of Portland, Oregon

R. WILCOX,
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GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of *Multnomah, in the matter of the Guardianship of Jemima Watson*, a minor, the undersigned Guardian will sell at public auction, at the Court House door, in the city of Portland, for cash in gold coin of the United States, on the 20th day of March, 1869, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of said minor in and to the west half of Lot Five (5) in Block fifty one (51) corner of Taylor and Fourth streets, in the city of Portland, State of Oregon, with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging.

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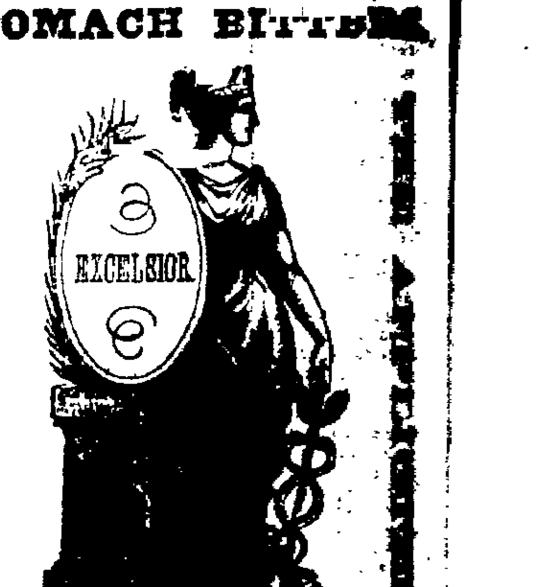
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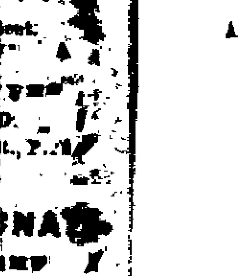
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MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 1, 1869

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates .... [illegible]
New York Gold Quotations.... [illegible]

OREGON CITY ITEMS.—We clip the subjoined items from the Oregon City *Enterprise* of Saturday: There will be an election of Chief Engineer and Assistant, at the Council Chamber on Monday next .....Blasters are employed upon the line of the O. C. R. R., within *hearing* distance below this city. ...Rev. Mr. Sellwood's music class contemplate giving a concert soon, we are pleased to state ......The *Success*, on her last trip down, brought thirty tons of bacon from the extensive packing house of A. Cowan & Co., Albany. This is the largest shipment of bacon we have heard of this winter, and yet, it is but a forerunner of what we may expect from the same house hereafter. This house, we learn, has a large amount still on hand which will be shipped in a few weeks ..... Mr. John M. Bacon, City Recorder, has just completed a census, from which we learn that the total population of the city is [illegible] as follows:

Total number of men	[illegible]
Total number of women	180
Total number of boys under 4 years	68
Total number of girls under 4 years	[illegible]
Total number of girls between 4 and 20	175
Total number of boys between 4 and 20	[illegible]
Total population	[illegible]

.....The Clackamas Indians of this county had a very interesting time at a "medicine dance," three miles below this city on Wednesday night last. The event was occasioned through the sickness of an Indian. Several white people attended, and report that the scene was worth witnessing. There was nothing out of order, but on the contrary system and good behavior was observed among the Indians present, who appeared in their painted costumes and ornamental accoutrements.. ..The steamer *Success*, Capt. E. W. Baughman, a new boat in the line of the People's Transportation Company, left the basin on Thursday morning for Corvallis and intermediate points. The *Success* was built by the Canemah Transportation Company of this county, and started on the 11th day of August last as an independent boat, and has now been transferred to the P. T. Co., which ends competition or opposition, for the present on the Wallamet river.

VANCOUVER ITEMS.—The following items are from the *Register*: The members of the Clark County Republican Central Committee are requested to meet at the office of H. G. Struve, in Vancouver, on Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1869, at one o'clock P. M. for the transaction of business...... A petition is circulated for a mail route and the establishment of post offices at Fern Prairie and Strong's Battleground .....The M. E. Sunday School gave an exhibition on Wednesday night last. The performance was opened with singing and prayer. Songs, orations, comedies, and a variety of other instructive and moral entertainments, well executed by happy, intelligent scholars made the affair very pleasant. The receipts were about fifty dollars .....The old saw mill below the city was burned down on Thursday night. This had been Dr. Powell's shooting gallery. This last was a match game, it is supposed. The fire company were on hand, but the fire had too much headway. ...Gen. Blake, Col. Reno, Capt. Whittier, Lieut Hall, and Capt. Ramsey left, on the steamer *Gen. S. Wright*, Feb. 21st, for Sitka. They go on court martial duty. It is supposed they will be absent about a month......The Lewis river country is a fine one for settlement. It is the finest dairy country in the world. There is much water power there now that runs to waste, which by the skillful hand of the mechanic could turn machinery to manufacture fabrics to greatly benefit civilization and the arts......There was a room in the old saw mill burned last night in which a man named Ballaskist, a Pole, had household furniture, fish tanks, etc., stored—$490 worth. There was a boat, worth $100, burned. It was held by the Sheriff under writ of attachment, sued out by Capt. J. N. Fisher.

SALEM ITEMS.—From the *Unionist* we learn that the bell for the Congregational Church has arrived at the Salem wharf. It is from the foundry of McNeely Bros., Troy, New York, and weighs 1,017 pounds, which is we believe more than any bell now in the city weighs. The cost of it with the freight to Portland was $534 17 .... The Oregon Central Railroad Co., of Salem, have brought five suits against parties in this county for the right of way to run their road through the land of the defendants. The plaintiff has in each case tendered to the parties the value of the land, which being refused by the owners of the land, nothing remains but an action at law to settle the [illegible] ....C. W. Kahler has been appointed District Attorney in the First Judicial District, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Col. W. G. T'Vault. Mr. K. is a young man of fine abilities, and will no doubt make an efficient officer. He is a graduate of the Willamette University......The examination of the Willamette University will be [illegible] to-morrow, in the lecture room of the University [illegible]......We hear of many of our citizens who are contemplating a pilgrimage to White Pine this spring......The meeting of the Alumni of the graduates of the Medical Department in the Willamette University, will take place on the evening of Wednesday next. The exercises will consist of an address and other literary exercises at the University building, after which the Alumni, with their invited guests, will repair to the Capital Hotel and take [illegible] prepared for the occasion.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The Rev. J. H. Wythe has lately visited the public schools of this city, and speaks of them in the following complimentary manner: "The various departments were well filled, and the teachers appeared to have excellent control. We were well pleased with the general arrangements of the schools, although we regretted the absence of some of those modern appliances which render the common schools of the East and of San Francisco so efficient. It would pay for Portland to send a delegation to visit the schools in our neighboring State. We are indebted to Professor Johnson for the following statistics:

Central School.—Grammar school department, 180; Intermediate, 180; Primary, 140; Total, 450.
North School.—Grammar, 44; Intermediate, 43. Primary, 144. Total, 231.
Harrison st. School.—Grammar, 138; Primary, 151. Total, 289. Grand total, 970."

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, JUDGE.—The following proceedings were had Saturday:

W Meerheltz vs J H Hess; dismissed on motion of plaintiff, at plaintiff's cost.
John Ducie vs Guldsmith & Teal; plaintiff submitted to nonsuit on his own motion, without prejudice.
Schriver vs Schriver; action for divorce; default of defendant entered and referred to J. C. N. Moreland to take testimony.
Carter & M[illegible] vs City of Portland; demurrer sustained and plaintiff allowed to amend.
John Stephenson vs Multnomah county; petition for writ of [illegible] was denied.
J. B. Baldwin vs J L Daly; argued and taken under advisement.
In the three cases against the steamboat *Wenat*, judgment by default was entered.

ARRESTED.—Sheriff J. J. Murphy, of Marion county, who came down on Saturday, went out Saturday, accompanied by W. R. Dunbar, as Deputy, to Forest Grove, and arrested Dr. J. W. McAfee, on a warrant charging him with procuring his former wife's death, last fall. He and his present wife were brought to this city and lodged in the county jail, and will be taken to Salem, probably, to-day. The Doctor's former wife died last fall after a brief illness, and *there was then some talk* that she had been foully dealt with, but the matter finally became quiet. Some recent events have conspired to revive that sort of talk, and this arrest is the result—instigated, as we are informed, by the brother of the deceased woman. How well or ill-founded may be the suspicions afloat, we cannot say, but we doubt if there are many who would not be sincerely pleased if the Doctor shall establish his entire innocence.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.—Proceedings of Saturday, Feb. 27th:

In the matter of Randall & Sunderland, involuntary bankruptcy; judgment of the Court adjudging the said debtors bankrupt, and that warrant issue to the Marshal to take possession of their estate.
In the matter of J M G Kallich: *voluntary bankruptcy*; hearing on specifications of grounds of opposition to final discharge, continued until next term.
In the matter of Muller & Breathno; involuntary bankruptcy; case continued until Saturday next.
Adjourned without day.

SENDING CATTLE TO GRASS.—There is another large band of cattle in the O. S. N. Co.'s wharf, to go up this morning to the Dalles. During the last week several hundred head of cattle have been sent up. The *Mountaineer* notices these arrivals, and says: "These cattle are brought here in poor condition, but require but a few months' feeding upon the nutritious bunch grass of this section of country, when they are fit for beef, and will most likely be again shipped to Portland to supply the meat markets of that city." *There is a great deal of truth in this, we are simply sending our cattle out to grass.*

THREE-WHEEL VELOCIPEDE.—A man was out on the street, yesterday, gently cavorting with a three-wheel velocipede. He didn't chose to drive it very rapidly, and if he had so chosen he couldn't have done it. The thing [illegible] to wouldn't go much, and as it dumped the rider out frequently, the crowd wouldn't admire, and voted it a bilk. There is not a man in the city who can ride one of the two-wheel sort, but nothing less than a real two-wheel velocipede can satisfy our exacting multitude.

REAL ESTATE AT EAST PORTLAND.—As an indication of the rising tendency of property at East Portland we may mention the case of a block purchased by Mr. Quimby four years ago for four hundred dollars, and a half of which he sold last week with a house on it for $2,500, or at the rate of fully $1,500 for the land. A rise, in four years from $200 to $1,500 may be called very good. Real estate at East Portland has nearly or quite doubled in value during the past year.

BALL AT ASTORIA.—We have received a complimentary invitation to a ball to be given at Astoria, by the Astoria Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, on the 4th of March. The committee of arrangements are Messrs. C. H. Home, Wm. Ross and John Tonner. They have a fine hall and will doubtless have a pleasant party.

PERSONAL.—Quite a number of Salem people came down on the steamer of Saturday, among whom were J. C. Cartwright, who intends hereafter to reside here, J. J. Murphy, Sheriff of Marion county, W. R. Dunbar, Deputy G. W. P., of the Sons of Temperance, who came down on official business, and others.

PARDONED.—A telegram was received in this city on Saturday, from Washington city stating that the President has signed a pardon of E. H. Randall, late Postmaster, convicted of stealing gold dust from the mails. The document will arrive in due course of mail or express in about fifteen days.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Pioneer Base Ball Club will be held this evening at Joseph Buchtel's Gallery, at half past 7 o'clock. Officers are to be elected for the ensuing year.

CAR LUMBER.—The East Side Railroad Co. received by the steamer [illegible] on Saturday a large consignment of ash lumber from [illegible] to be used in the construction of cars, at the shop near East Portland.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—The United States District Court will convene this morning at ten o'clock. A large number of jurors, witnesses, and parties to suits, are already in the city.

[illegible] ... is said to be in town, [illegible]

NOTARY PUBLIC.—A. [illegible] has been appointed by [illegible] Notary Public for Multnomah county.

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Astonishing Financial Disclosures

[illegible] New York [illegible] Feb. 4.

[illegible] in Wall street [illegible] a movement that has been begun by Mr. E. D. Webster, Assessor of the Thirty-second District, with a view to enforcing the law providing for a tax of one twenty-fourth of one per cent on all capital in active use. The brokers assert that they are [illegible] the capitalists from whom they [illegible] investment in stocks and other securities, and that consequently they are not liable to pay the tax. The Assessor relies on the 79th and 110th sections of the Revenue act for authority to collect this impost on capital. In the former section brokers and other persons who deal in stocks, securities, &c., are defined as "bankers," and the latter provides that all "banks" shall pay a tax of one-twenty-fourth of one per centum each month upon the capital of any bank, association, company, or corporation, and on the capital employed by any person engaged in the business of banking." The effort now being made to collect the tax has called forth considerable lamentation in the street, and in their excitement, some of the principal brokers threaten to raise two millions of dollars, either to have their construction of the law approved by the Washington authorities or to have the law repealed. If the tax on the capital in active use in Wall street should be paid, there would be an increase of the revenue of about $1,000,000 per annum.

REMARKABLE RETURNS OF BROKERS—ONLY FIFTEEN MILLIONS A YEAR IN USE IN WALL STREET.

The revenue officers of the Twenty-second District, who have charge of the collection of this tax, assert that the whole amount of capital returned by the brokers and other speculators in Wall street, for the past year, as taxable, is *fifteen millions of dollars. This allegation must as*tonish the public, for, if it is true, the army of speculators who deal in stocks and securities, representing hundreds of millions of dollars, perform financial miracles daily. One firm, which it is charged has locked up ten millions to derange the money market, and sent sixty millions of Erie "flying," have made returns showing that their capital is only *seventy thousand dollars*; and yet they confess that they use annually a capital of *three hundred millions of dollars*! It is proposed to draw out this capital from its lurking place, and to make it pay the tax. This, however, would tend to exhibit the financial status of the brokers, and hence the law is resisted.

ONE THOUSAND MILLIONS IN ACTIVE USE.

The revenue officers assert, after patient investigation and inquiry, that the amount of capital in active use in Wall street during the year, is not less than a thousand millions; that is, that *large amount changes hands, and makes fortunes* for the owners or speculators on its way. A delegation of brokers went to Washington a few days since, and it is said had an interview with Secretary McCulloch in relation to their liability to pay the tax. The result of the interview has not leaked out, but as Mr. Webster is immovable in his determination to enforce the law, it is believed, in the absence of any communication from Mr. McCulloch, that the delegation were unable to accomplish their object.

Yesterday afternoon some of the principal brokers of Wall street had an interview with Mr. Webster, who informed them that the law providing for the tax is very clear and positive, and that the tax must be paid. Mr. Webster added that the decision of the Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Mr. Thomas Harland, covered the question involved. The Commissioner, he said, decided, when the whole subject was referred to him, that "if a banker (which the 79th section declares may be a broker), borrow money and uses it in his banking business, it should be treated as a part of his capital, and be subject to the monthly tax of one twenty-fourth of one per cent.

It is cited as a proof that an immense amount of capital does not pay this tax, that one of the largest banking houses in Wall street has authority to draw on a European firm for [illegible],000 and that the latter amount is not included in the returns of the house, although it may be in active use.

The entire amount of bonds issued to the Pacific Railroads to Jan. 1, 1869, was $50,097,000, on which the annual interest at *six per cent.* is $3,005,820. The amount reimbursed to the United States by the several roads, from freights, &c., up to Jan. 1, 1869, has been $1,168,526, divided as follows: Union Pacific, $746,428; Union Pacific, Eastern Division, $375,924; Central Pacific Railroad, $46,158; Sioux City and *Pacific Railroad, $16. Total, $1,168,526.*

PATIENT WAITING PERHAPS NO LOSS.—A lady and gentleman are now living in this city who were engaged to be married more than thirty years ago, and who are still anxiously waiting the day when they shall be made one. In 1840 *they had been engaged for some time, but did not* marry because each had a mother dependent on them for support. The two mothers refused to live together, and their children would not leave them, but decided to postpone their marriage until one or the other should die. Both mothers are still living, and the gentleman continues to visit the lady, their filial duties still keeping them apart. The man has had the consumption for several years, and doubtless ere either of the now very aged mothers shall take their departure, he will have gone to his last resting place. Every day a trembling Romeo, leaning heavily on a cane, with feeble steps, wends his way to the house of Juliet, a withered maiden lady, whose hair is silvered by age and trouble.—*Hartford Post, Jan. 30.*

The Boston Chief of Police, desirous of knowing the men who insult ladies quietly walking the street, caused two or three trusty officers to be dressed in female apparel, and started them out for a walk. During his promenade, one of the officers was accosted by no less than twenty seven men, some of whom were known to him and move in respectable society.

Many years ago, when Nantucket was largely engaged in the whaling business, a clergyman of that town preached from the text, 2 Kings iv. 7; "Go, sell thy oil, and pay the debt, and live thou and thy children off the rest." The congregation were indignant at the minister's attempt to meddle with the oil market.

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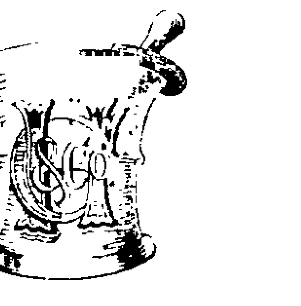
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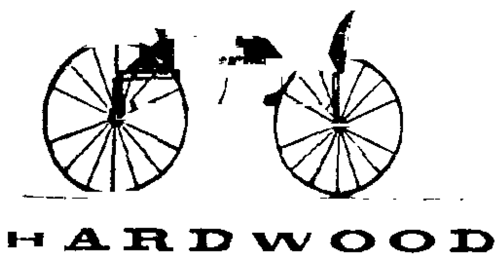
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State Bounty Bonds!

STATE OF OREGON, Treasurer's Office, }
Salem, Feb. 11, 1869. }

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVed by the undersigned, at his office, until 12 o'clock M., March 13th, 1869, for the surrender of BOUNTY BONDS issued under the provisions of "An Act of the Legislative Assembly, granting Bounties to Volunteers of this State enlisted in the service of the United States, approved Oct. 24, 1864," at the lowest rates (not exceeding par value), as may redeem the greatest number of Bonds. Bids to include interest to date of surrender.

Eighteen Thousand Dollars now in the Treasury applicable to the redemption of said bonds.

Bids addressed to E. N. COOKE,
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REDEMPTION.

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVed by the undersigned at his office [illegible] March [illegible] 1869, for the surrender of RELIEF BONDS, issued under the provisions of "An Act [illegible] State [illegible] approved Oct. 24, 1864," at the lowest rates (not exceeding par value), as may redeem the greatest number of Bonds. Bids to include interest to date of surrender.

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Leather of all kinds.

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Half size engraved case	16 [illegible]
Beautiful stem winder [illegible] size watches	20 [illegible]

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24 different styles of vest chains, very handsome [illegible]	[illegible]
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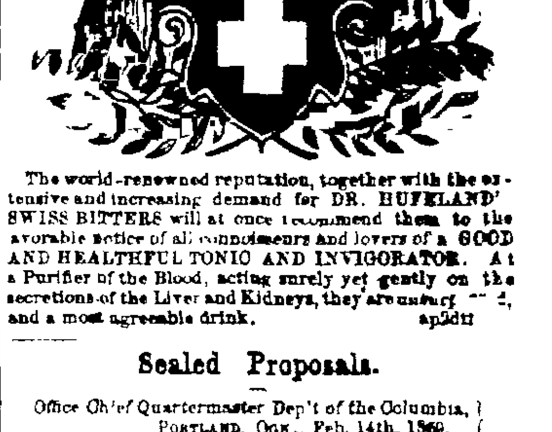
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Sealed Proposals.

Office Chief Quartermaster Dep't of the Columbia, }
PORTLAND, OGN., Feb. 14th, 1869. }

BY AUTHORITY FROM THE DEPARTMENT Commander, Sealed Proposals will be received at this Office up to noon on the first day of March, 1869, for the delivery at Fort Vancouver, W. T., of two hundred and fifty cords of oak fire wood, or less, at the option of the United States, the wood to be delivered at such place *on the Military Reserve, and at such times and in such* quantities as the Commanding Officer may direct. Bids must state the price per cord in coin. The amount must be stated in writing, not figures.

Bids must be triplicate.

No "average bids" will be considered. For further particulars inquire at this Office.
A. E. EDDY,
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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 1, 1869

In Doleful Dumps.

The pepper-corn daily at Salem is in a state of trepidation and alarm. It has heard that the Democratic members of the Legislature are going to assemble on the 4th March, and it would be frightened out of its seven senses by the prospect, only it hasn't got so many senses to be frightened out of. The Democratic programme, it says, is to drum up a quorum in the House by taking in a man from Walla Walla and a contestant from Clackamas county, and to obtain a quorum in the other branch by sending the Sergeant-at-Arms after three Republican Senators nearest the Capital; when the Democracy will be in full feather, strut mightily, and do terrible things. Whereat the "official paper of the State" is in fearful tribulation, thinks the whole damage will be "shouldered on the Republican party," and beseeches somebody to propose some plan to get us out of this "scrape." Now we want to say that we deeply sympathize with the "official paper." It moves the fountains of pity in us to witness its distress—the more so as the Republican party is in a state of absolute serenity and fears no "damage," though an institution of such a "feeble temper" as the "official paper" is compelled to "bear the 'scrape' alone." As we do not get into "scrapes" ourselves we hardly know how to advise such unfortunates to get out of them. But we sincerely hope the "official paper" may find some means to propitiate the "riotous ring of irresponsible ruffians." Perhaps it can make peace with them by pleading the Copper-Johnson record of its proprietor. To the Republican party of the State it is a matter of utter indifference what the irate "ring" may do or attempt to do at the approaching "session." We expect to see something to laugh at, but don't expect to get frightened, betray our fears to the Democracy, and try to make terms with them. If they are such fools as to assemble, just let them do what they can. If the "official paper" finds itself in a tight place, let it join them formally, as it has in fact. The Republican party will preserve its equanimity in any event. It don't scare at all.

The Proposed Amendment.

The two houses of Congress have finally agreed upon an amendment to the Constitution regulating the exercise of the suffrage, which will be submitted at once to the States for them to take action upon. The proposed amendment is in these words:

The right of any citizen of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abrogated by the United States or any State, on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

The amendment in this form will be generally satisfactory to the country, and we think will be ratified. It is in better shape than any other of the many propositions on the subject which Congress has considered. Several of the extreme men on the Republican side denounced it because in their opinion it does not go far enough, and voted for it at last with great reluctance. Under this amendment suffrage will not be unlimited. Only citizens can vote, and the States can prescribe such conditions as to property, education, etc., as they may severally see fit. By the Fourteenth Amendment the negro is a citizen, and if the new amendment is ratified he will have the right to vote in any State; but the Chinese is not a citizen, and therefore will not be entitled to the suffrage. We have heretofore repeatedly said that no discrimination in the exercise of the suffrage ought to be made among citizens. Colored citizens vote already in all the Southern and nearly half the Northern States, and no injury can result from allowing the few now excluded the exercise of the elective franchise. Such a measure, for which we have heretofore enlarged upon, would do much to tranquil the country and give us permanent peace. The negro question is almost out of politics, and quite out in a short time.

Ingenious Justification.

The *Herald* is so anxious to justify the late rebellion in the South that it goes back to the beginning of the outbreak and patches up excuses for the seizure by the rebels of the United States forts, arsenals, etc., putting its answer in this language:

Were they not justified in making some preparation at self-defense? And these preparations were no cause for war. They deemed the seizure of the forts a just and necessary precaution, and if the United States Government was ever afraid to entrust her arms or her honor in the hands of her citizens it was a fear never exhibited under a Democratic administration.

The States, then, had a right to seize the forts, the public property and the munitions of war belonging to the Government, and the United States had no right to object or complain. The acts of secession, the seizure of the forts, the attack on the flag and the commencement of the war by the rebels "were no cause for war" on the part of the United States. These acts were simply "just and necessary precautions" for "self-defense" on the part of the rebel States. A Democratic administration would not have made war against them for such a reason. Of course not. We had proof of that at the time Buchanan told them to secede and take the forts; he had no disposition or power to prevent them. The Democratic party had no "fears" about it, because they didn't care a fig for the preservation of the Union. The *Herald* has told the truth exactly.

Authorities Differ.

A Radical contemporary has gone back to the year 1860, and rehashed all the stale and exploded trash about Floyd stealing the guns, about the long and terrible separation made for war in the South, and there is the perfect ignorance and blissful innocence of the Republican party.—*Herald.*

To show how authorities, even the most trusted Democratic authorities may differ, we cite the following from that standard volume of Southern Democratic history written by "Lost Cause" Pollard, and entitled, "First Year of the War." The extract will be found on page 67 of that book.

It had been supposed that the Southern people, poor in manufactures as they were, and in the haste of preparation for the mighty conflict that was to ensue, would find themselves illy provided with arms. This disadvantage had been provided against by the timely act of one man. Mr. Floyd, of Virginia, when Secretary of War under Buchanan, had by a single order effected the transfer of 115 000 improved muskets and rifles from the Springfield armory and Watervliet arsenal to different arsenals at the South.

The *Herald* may now assail the historian of the "Lost Cause" for the "stale and exploded trash about Floyd stealing the guns." But it is painful to see Democratic authorities, the expounders of the "eternal principles," differing in this way.

From the Corvallis paper: "A considerable amount of real estate in this city and vicinity is now changing hands, indicating the presence of money in the community, notwithstanding the usual amount of croaking about "hard times." Business men are beginning to show signs of animation, and predict lively trade the coming season."

STATE ITEMS.

The city council of Albany has appropriated $2,000 to buy a fire engine.

Farmers are very active in putting in crops. A great breadth of grain will be sown.

The Brownsville Woolen Mills, sold at Sheriff's sale on Monday, the 22d of February, were bid in by J. B. Monteith, Esq., at $5,913 ... 163 coin, $3,750 currency.

From the Albany *Register*: George Dawson and party, who, it will be remembered, left here on a prospecting tour, have been heard from. They are in the Goose Lake country and write that they are well pleased with the general "looks" thereabouts.

A correspondent of the Albany *Register* writes: "Seven miles west of Corvallis, on the road to Yaquina, stands the Philomath College, which has an imposing appearance, when we take into consideration the surroundings. It is built of brick, at a cost of $12,000 or $15,000. It is under the supervision of the United Brethren Church. We admire their enterprise, but doubt their judgment in the location. The number of students attending is sixty or seventy."

OWYHEE ITEMS

[From the Avalanche, Feb. 20]

WAR EAGLE TUNNEL.

This magnificent enterprise will be commenced at an early day. George Collier Robbins, writing to a gentleman in Silver City, says that the work will be commenced about the first of April, and will be continued with all the force and dispatch possible. There is no question but this will turn out to be the most profitable undertaking ever inaugurated in this country. The proposed line of the tunnel will traverse the richest mineral region in the world. That a tunnel running under the lines of such mines as the Poorman, Ida Elmore, Oro Fino, Golden Chariot, Peck & Porter, *and several others, will fail to develop immense* mineral wealth, no sane person with a knowledge of the facts will dispute.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN.

Mr. McCandless, writing from the above district, says that the Original, one of the first ledges discovered there, bids fair to be one of the best and most extensive yet discovered in this county. It is 44 feet in width, and can be traced on the top of the ground for a distance of four miles. When we take into consideration the assays which have been made from the ore of this mine, we find no difficulty in arriving at the conclusion that it is a "big thing." The rock has assayed at the rate of from $366 to $500 per ton. The casing of the ledge is said to be as smooth as glass. There are other mines in the district equally as good as the Original. South Mountain, in which those mines are located, is about 30 miles south from Silver City, near the line of the Camp Winthrop road. Timber and water are abundant in that section.

THE MINES IN GENERAL.

We made a trip last week to the summit of War Eagle, and visited some of the mines which have made that grand old mountain famous in the past and will continue to sustain that fame in the future, when latter day humbugs will be numbered with the "things that were."

The "Ida Elmore" is being rapidly put in order. The south shaft, which was sunk by contract a depth of 100 feet, is about completed, men are now employed in cutting it out wider than was done under the original contract, it is being well and substantially timbered. Hands are also engaged on the north shaft, which is down a considerable depth. A new level will be commenced in the south shaft in a few days, and it is only necessary to add that the lode continues as wide and as rich as ever.

The "Golden Chariot" is yielding large quantities of ore at this time, which has diminished none in the richness of quality. A number of teams are constantly employed in transporting the ore to the New York Mill, where it is crushed with what results, the Assessor's returns will answer.

Poorman looks more permanent, and is in better trim now than at any time since its discovery. The ledge ranges from 1½ to 3½ feet in width and is producing an excellent quality of ore. The new hoisting machinery works well. There is quite a quantity in the dump, and several teams are employed hauling to the mill.

Peck & Porter.—This mine is developing well, the ore resembles that of the Ida Elmore and Golden Chariot. We were shown by Mr. Peck a large specimen extracted from the mine, literally specked with gold. It is certainly one of the handsomest samples of quartz we ever saw.

Baxter.—This mine, we learn, is also turning out well. We were unable to visit it, but have seen some excellent specimens from it.

MINING IN THE BOISE BASIN.—It is the opinion of the Idaho *World* "that the coming spring and summer will prove to be one of the most favorable and the most prosperous mining seasons which has ever been realized. The aggregate snow fall throughout the whole Basin gives cheerful promise of an ample supply of water down to a time beyond the usual limit of the working season, in the reservoirs and ditches, and also to those who depend almost entirely upon free water. Persons who have taken the trouble to make measurement of the quantity of snow on hill-tops, and in the flats beneath, report to us a general average of between seven and eight feet on the summits, and of from four to five feet on the levels below. This is much more than was given last season, and the snowfall for the season is not, most probably, over yet; so that it is quite safe to add another foot or two of depth to that now on the ground, in the estimate to be formed of the full aggregate at the opening of active mining."

Differences do not appear to be confined to any particular profession. The other day Generals Rodman and Dahlgren were called before the Ordnance Committee, who were desirous of hearing their views upon the subject with which they are supposed to be entirely familiar. It seems that the result was not favorable to the cannon bearing the names of these inventors. Rodman's evidence was unfavorable to Dahlgren, and Dahlgren's views were equally unfavorable to Rodman. At this rate the Committee may possibly come to the conclusion that the sooner we get rid of the guns made by the methods invented by these gentlemen, the better our condition will be. After swearing by the Armstrong gun for twenty years, the English discovered that it was utterly worthless. The discovery, however, like the recent American discoveries, was made by rival inventors. It is a fact, however, that the English now are favorable to our great guns about which our committee are trying to know more.

COMMERCIAL ADVANTAGES OF CHRISTIANITY.—A newspaper reporting a sermon on this subject gives the following statistics:

New York city spends $8,500 per day for bread, and $10,000 a day for cigars. The United States invests $40,000,000 annually in the cigar trade alone, and $60,000,000 annually for tobacco in other forms, including expenses of producing. The annual expense of the human family for tobacco is not less, yearly, than $1,000,000,000. Liquor is sold in the United States amounting, in the year, to $600,000,000, one fifth the total amount of the national debts, or according to Commissioner Wells, the total amount disposed of per annum is $1,000,000,000, enough to pay the debt in three years.

A gentleman's diary of his wife's temper: Monday—A thick fog, no seeing through it. Tuesday—Gloomy and very chilly, unseasonable weather. Wednesday—Frosty, at times sharp. Thursday—Bitter cold in the morning, red sunset with flying clouds, portending hard weather. Friday—Storm in the morning, with peals of thunder, air clear afterward. Saturday—Gleams of sunshine, with partial thaw, frost again at night. Sunday—A slight southwester in the morning, calm and pleasant at dinner time, hurricane and earthquake at night.

A German couple appeared before a New Orleans Justice, last Wednesday, expecting to get a divorce on the spot. One of the woman's eyes was black and blue, and the face of the man was *very severely scratched*. He addressed the Judge as follows: "Look, Judge, look at mein face. I beats mein wife, and mein wife beats me." The wife joined heartily in the plea for a divorce, as both were disgusted that any legal delay was necessary, when the evidence of incompatibility of temper was so direct.

General Grant's entire ability to keep a secret hereafter will be unquestioned. It is reported that at a recent party at his residence a lady ... some woman selected a favorable moment to ask him who he intended to place in the Cabinet. The General was surrounded by a circle of the ... sex. His answer, although not ungallant, had a tinge of stubbornness in it. Said he, "my wife has asked me that same question, but I haven't told her yet." There can be no doubt that ... after the women of America, and especially the wives, will sympathize deeply with Mrs. Grant.

The Galveston *Bulletin* hopes that for the credit of the State that the evidence of disorder there may not be published, but says that it more than bears out the worst reports that have been made of the anarchy that prevails.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN

DATES TO FEBRUARY 27.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In the Senate the report of the Conference Committee on the naval appropriation bill was concurred in.

Sherman, from the Finance Committee, reported Schenck's bill to strengthen the public credit, etc., with slight amendments. The Committee on Finance were discharged from the further consideration of the bill to encourage the building of steamships by the United States.

The Committee on Public Lands reported several bills and were discharged from further consideration of a large number of others.

Morton called up a resolution to pay Senators of the reconstructed States from the beginning of the 40th Congress. The pending amendment was for the payment only from the beginning of the second session of the 40th Congress. The resolution was laid aside until the expiration of the morning hour, then went over. The report of the Conference Committee on the Constitutional Amendment taken up.

... said the Conference Committee had struck out the very life of the resolution.

Pomeroy and Howard also denounced the report of the Committee.

Wilson said he had fought slavery for thirty-three years and had always demanded what was right, and now he was willing to take what he could get. He believed every one step made the next easier. He should continue to agitate until equal rights to all men are undisputed.

Pomeroy moved to disagree and ask a further conference.

Morton said the committee had exceeded their powers by striking out the vital portion of the text which had already been agreed to by both houses. The committee had acted unwisely and in violation of parliamentary law. They had no right to strike out the proposition in which both houses had concurred, namely: No State should deny the right to vote or hold office for certain specified reasons. He believed half a loaf better than no bread, and would vote to agree to the report if nothing better could be had, but this case would be a warning never again to intrust any important measure to a Committee of Conference.

Sawyer explained the position of the Republican party at the South.

Frelinghuysen urged the passage of the amendment because the Republican party would not have a two-thirds majority in the next Congress.

Stewart said a number of legislatures are now in session. If this resolution passed now the amendment can be ratified. If we disagree all is lost.

Davis suggested that the Republicans might expect Democrats enough to give them a two thirds majority. [Laughter.]

Hendricks thought such an appeal the most extraordinary ever made in the Senate, urging the passage of a resolution for the reason urged by Frelinghuysen and Stewart.

Frelinghuysen said he had ascertained that the Republican party would have a clear two thirds majority in the next House, and he therefore withdrew his resolution.

Hendricks spoke till four o'clock when the Senate took a recess.

In the House the civil appropriation bill was made the special order for to-morrow.

The deficiency bill was taken up and considered in Committee of the Whole. The appropriation of $150 000 for the San Francisco mint was rejected.

Burr called the attention of the House to the fact that this bill appropriated nearly twenty millions for deficiencies in the War Department over which the President had no control whatever.

After a long discussion the item to pay the back salary to the Minister at Portugal was stricken out and the bill was reported to the House.

The report of the conference committee on the naval appropriation bill was agreed to, and the *House took up the amendment to the legislative* appropriation bill.

The military committee's report on the organization and pay of the army, recommends the creation of a Supply Department, and of the Quarter Master's Subsistence and Pay Departments and the consolidation of the ordnance and artillery corps and engineers and signal corps. They think the engineers can do the work of coast survey, and recommend the substitution of annual salaries for commutation and allowances of officers. They condemn and urge the abrogation of the present system of brevet rank.

The amendment to discontinue the salary of Wells' Special Commissioner of Revenue was withdrawn and an appropriation of $6,000 for a commission of education was agreed to.

Poland's amendment increasing the pay of the deputy clerks was agreed to and then reconsidered. In the evening session Poland's amendment was rejected.

The consideration of the deficiency bill was resumed. An amendment appropriating $3,324 for compensation of the Register and Receiver of the land office at Boise City, Idaho, was agreed to.

Spaulding asked a separate vote on the amendment striking out the item to pay back salary to Harvy, Minister to Portugal; the item was retained, 68 to 66. All the other amendments were agreed to and the bill passed.

Cullen, on leave, introduced a joint resolution declaring that Congress and the people of the United States are not indifferent to the struggle for national independence and emancipation in Cuba, so long delayed by European monarchies, and now begun under American auspices in the interest of universal freedom. Adjourned.

In the Senate, at the evening session, a number of private pension bills passed.

The Senate resumed consideration of the constitutional amendment. Pomeroy raised the point of order that the conference committee had exceeded its powers in striking out "hold office," in regard to which there was no disagreement. The President overruled the point.

Buckalew denounced the amendment as revolutionary.

The vote was finally had and the amendment was adopted 39 to 13. The President announced that two thirds of the Senators having voted affirmatively, the joint resolution was adopted.

Davis raised the point of order that the Constitution expressly required for the passage of a proposition to amend the Constitution a vote of two-thirds of the Senate, and not merely two thirds present, that three fourths of the States of the Union being represented in the Senate there would be sixty eight members, two thirds of whom would be forty-five. Davis explained, elaborating his point.

Hendricks supported the point.

Trumbull reminded the President that he had raised the point on the passage of the amendment abolishing slavery and the Senate decided against it.

The President decided against the point.

Anthony, Pomeroy and Edmunds were appointed a committee to revise the rules. A number of House bills were called, and without action the Senate adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Mr. Fessenden presented the credentials of Hannibal Hamlin, Senator from Maine.

Mr Howard called up the joint resolution to withhold Government bonds from the Union Pacific Railroad Company till certain conditions were complied with, which, after some discussion, was postponed.

Mr Stewart offered a resolution requesting the President to transmit forthwith to each State Executive a copy of the Constitutional Amendment to secure its early ratification.

Mr. Davis objected, and the bill to strengthen the public debt was taken up. Mr Davis offered a substitute and addressed the Senate in its favor.

Mr. Bayard moved to strike out the section to legalize coin contracts as unnecessary. After a long discussion the amendment was rejected; ayes 7 noes 47, and the Senate took a recess.

Washington News.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—The *Bulletin's* Washington special says Grant said positively Geo. H. Stuart would not be a member of his Cabinet. The state of his health, if no other reason, would preclude his taking a Cabinet appointment.

The Senate Finance Committee, in amendments to Schenck's bill, declare the faith of the United States is solemnly pledged to the payment in coin or its equivalent of all obligations of the United States, except where otherwise expressed. The section regarding coin contracts is not changed.

A large number of visitors called at headquarters this morning to pay their respects to the President elect.

Wm. A. Winslow, son of Commodore Winslow, died last night.

In the Supreme Court today the cases exparte of Arnold and Spangler were argued. Philips was counsel for the petitioners.

... Stewart arrived to day. He is stopping at the house of ... the Senator.

... Delano had a long interview with ... Robbins to day. This fact in connection with the mention of Delano's name for the Internal Revenue Bureau are considered ...

The Union Pacific Railroad

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—The dispatch from Cheyenne saying that the Union Pacific Railroad was ... fifteen days ... considered absurd ... to-day, from the superintendent of construction, says three miles *of track were laid yesterday.*

Capital of West Virginia.

WHEELING, Feb. 26.—A bill has passed the Legislature moving the capital of West Virginia to Charleston. The bill takes effect April 1, 1870.

From Cuba

HAVANA, Feb 24, via Key West Feb 26.—Orders have been given the troops in the field to take no prisoners in arms, but to shoot all.

The Government of Spain is much incensed at the conduct of the Cubans in refusing to accept its conciliatory proposals and will crush the rebellion if it takes 500,000 troops. The volunteers had become quiet.

HAVANA, Feb 27.—The volunteers have been mobilized and are preparing to take the field. The Mexican General who was captured at the engagement at the mouth of the river Donuco was shot.

A Santiago letter says that the insurgent General Geona has ordered the destruction of the estates of the Spaniards, to prevent their applying their funds to arming the volunteers. The estates of Cubans and foreigners are respected.

Miscellaneous.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The Atlantic and Great Western railroad has instituted suit against the Erie to compel the latter company to appropriate certain moneys to pay the mortgages on the Atlantic and Great Western road.

General Sherman arrived at Washington yesterday.

Gen Grant denies saying that he was not a representative of the Republican party.

The *Herald* says Banks is a candidate for Speaker and has already developed great strength.

The *Herald* says Grant favors the admission of the Georgia Congressmen. He does not approve the action of the Legislature in expelling the negro members. He thinks the Courts can remedy the matter.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—The *Republican's* special the Committee of Investigation into the conduct of the southern Indiana penitentiary at Jeffersonville, have disclosed a revolting state of affairs in that prison. The women are debauched by the wholesale, old men are cruelly treated and many other fearful outrages are committed by the officers of the prison. The Warden has resigned.

Snow in New England

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—There are three inches of snow throughout the great part of New England.

New Bridge over the Niagara.

BUFFALO, Feb 27.—Negotiations are progressing for the erection of an international bridge over the Niagara at this point. An iron bridge with stone piers is recommended. The city is asked to guarantee interest on $1,350,000. The grand trunk railway will pay fifty thousand dollars annually, for the privilege of the passing of its trains. The City Council is favorably disposed.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Since the 29th of July last 875 births have been recorded in San Francisco.

Total number of deaths this week were 61, of which nine were of small pox.

The Young Men's Christian Association realized seven hundred dollars from their course of lectures.

William Welsh was arrested at Sacramento for forging a check for $800, in the name of Isaac A. Goldman, on Sather & Co. A boy in Goldman's office named Lewis obtained and filled in a blank at Welsh's solicitation. Welsh drew the money and went up to Sacramento, and the boy confessed.

At a session of the First Presbyterian Church it was determined to grant letters of dismissal to members who are desirous to join Mr. Hamilton's church.

The candidates on the Felton ticket and most of the candidates on the opposition have endorsed eight hour principles.

Assistant Surgeon William A. Bradley, Brevet Major, died at Point San Jose, yesterday, of apoplexy.

The following are the Labor Exchange engagements to-day, 22 men and 6 women; for the week, 149 men and 79 women.

The Grand Jury made a final report and presented a large number of indictments. Judge McKinstry ordered both indictments and report suppressed until the arrests were made. Much curiosity is manifested by the public, as it was believed that proceedings from out of outside land investigations, and rumors are afloat that the report is damaging to the ring in the Board of Supervisors. No arrests yet made.

The *Constitution* arrived at ten o'clock last night. She has discharged and is now receiving freight to sail at the usual hour on Monday.

Monetary.

Legal tenders, 77@77¼.

Gold in New York to-day, 131¼—the lowest in two years.

San Francisco Markets.

Wheat—Fair coast, $1 50, range of market, $1 50@1 75.

Barley—Feed quotable at $2@2 20; brewing, *$2 05@2 20.*

Oats—California oats, $1 75@2 15; Oregon, $2 05@2 20.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—The bullion in the Bank of France has increased eleven millions.

In the Corps Legislatif, to day, Rouher, Minister of State, acknowledged that the loans to defray the expenses of improvements in Paris had not been raised in strict accordance with the laws. Satisfaction was generally expressed by the members with the avowal and explanation of the Minister.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 26.—The Sublime Porte has issued a circular of thanks to the foreign powers for their attitude in the late difficulty.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Cobden Club's gold medal is awarded to Dr. Joshua Leavitt, of New York.

The Marquis of Huntington is elected to Parliament for Rodney.

The War Office has received official dispatches from New Zealand announcing further successes over the rebels. The troops carried by assault a stronghold. The natives made a desperate defense and lost two hundred killed and wounded. The British loss was twenty-two.

MADRID, Feb. 26.—The modification of the Spanish Cabinet is likely to introduce a radical element.

PARIS, Feb. 27.—In the Corps Legislatif, yesterday, Rouher introduced a bill authorizing direct loans for the improvement of Paris.

Greece has announced officially the re establishment of peace with Turkey.

MADRID, Feb. 27.—In the Cortes, yesterday, Serrano announced that the members of the Provisional Government would retain their seats in the Cortes. The Government would follow the programme established by the revolution, and endeavor to disarm the attacks of the Republicans by the reduction of expenditures and a liberal policy generally. The liberal reforms contemplated for Cuba have been retarded by the insurrection.

FROM THE NORTH.

VICTORIA, Feb. 29.—The steamer *Otter*, from Sitka, 9th inst., arrived yesterday. Two white men who were on a trading expedition in an open boat were killed near Sitka by the Kaike Indians to revenge the death of some of their friends who had been shot by the sentry at Sitka.

The U. S. steamer *Saginaw*, with Gen. Davis and staff, was to leave for Kaike on the 15th. The revenue cutter *Reliance* was still at Sitka.

It is expected that the Legislative Council of British Columbia will prorogue on Saturday next.

ADVICE TO WOOL-GROWERS. We have been a practical wool-grower over a third of a century. We have seen a good many ups and downs in wool production. The present depression is a long and severe one. It is as certain that it will pass away when the normal conditions of successful trade are restored, as that all such preceeding depressions have passed away. And when that occurs, if the present tariff can be retained, there is every reason to believe that the wool-growers will have a long, and probably uninterrupted career of prosperity. The man who has spent any considerable portion of his life or capital in establishing choice flocks, is exceedingly unwise to abandon or sacrifice them now, when depression has reached its climax, and when every change must be for the better.—*Dr. Randall in Rural New Yorker.*

THE NEW NEEDLE GUN.—The "Zundnessergewehr, or ignition knife gun, is a new weapon exciting great attention in Prussia, as superior to the famous Zundnadelgewehr, or needle gun. The inventor Meyhofer, recently, at a quasi official trial, succeeded in hitting the target thirteen times in thirty six seconds. The cartridge is made of a peculiar kind of paper, and explodes when cut by a knife. A curious mistake in reference to this arose by a misprint in a German paper, the word *messer*, water being substituted for messer knife, thus making it appear that a gun ignited by means of water had been invented.

Gen Rawlings recently dined with a man who partook of wine rather freely, and became talkative. Finally the latter said, speaking of some body: "Oh, that mine enemy would write a book!" "Your enemy," said Rawlings, pointing to the bottle, "don't write books."

A New York hatter visited Washington the other day to take the measure and conformation of the heads of Grant & Colfax. He is going to present each one of them with a nobby hat. This is not a matter of national importance, but nevertheless it was telegraphed to all the dignified giants of Eastern journalism. Those who wish to know the size of the Presidential heads will be informed by the statement that Grant wears a 7 1-4 hat and Colfax a 7 1-8.

The following is a favorite song with ex-Confederates:

> "I want to be rebel,
> And with the rebels stand
> Be amnestied by Andy
> And get back all my land."

Collector Smythe replies to E. A. Pollard's card by proxy. In his statement he says Pollard's card is "conspicuously inexact." He then goes on to enumerate the inaccuracies in a manner calculated to damage Pollard's reputation for veracity, if such were possible.

Upon hearing of the murder of his son, a Mr. Dempsey, of Columbus, Miss., dropped dead. A daughter started after her brother's body, and upon returning to the house found that during her absence her mother had also died.

Once a Week, an English periodical, lately informed its readers that John Brown, who was hung in Virginia in 1859, for endeavoring to excite a negro insurrection, was a negro.

Gen. Grant is credited with saying that there is a constitutional requirement that will render it necessary for him to go to the capitol to be sworn in, but he knows of none making it necessary for Mr. Johnson to go there to be mustered out.

ENTERPRISE TRIUMPHANT.—The OREGON DISPENSARY is establishing a reputation second to no house on the coast as a first class and *Cheap Drug Store*.

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OPPOSITION LINE OF STEAMERS.—A private letter from San Francisco says that a strong and well regulated Steamship company was formed in that city for the purpose of running a line of steamers regularly between San Francisco and Portland. The steamers are known to be suitable for the Oregon trade, and are noted for good speed and splendid passenger accommodation. The people of Oregon will have an opportunity of showing whether they are willing to patronize good and staunch steamers, at a reasonable price for freight and passage, as it will depend on the patronage these steamers will receive whether they will remain in our waters or not.

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The "Appleton, Tracy & Co." movement, with extra Jewels, Chronometer Balance, Patent Dust Cap, Patent Safety Pinion, &c., in 3 oz. case, Gold Joints, $34 coin.
The same in 4 oz. case, $37. In 5 oz., $40 coin.

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